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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In view of the delay in responding to the office action dated March 10, 2006, Applicants herewith are submitting a petition for a four-month extension of time to extend the deadline for filing a response to August 10, 2006. A fee of \$795 is included with this response.

The Applicants elect the invention described in II: claims 21-24 drawn to an electronic device. However, the Applicants elect this invention with traverse. The computer readable carrier described in invention I (claims 13-20) implements the function of the electronic device and thus the two inventions are inseparable.

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